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### RUSSIA'S VIEW

Ravages of Revolutionists Continue to Increase Every Day.

GOVERNMENT IS HELPLESS

General Strike Tomorrow Will Tie Up All Kinds of Work.

IMPERIAL FOURS DOWN TO 76

St. Petersburg, Dec. 20.—The proclamation for a general strike for tomorrow, at noon, was greeted by the most intense excitement. It can be successfully begun and maintained, the revolutionists are confident that it will break the government's back. In government circles, however, confidence is expressed that the proletarian organizations cannot effect a complete tie-up, and that the strike must be of short duration.

This hope seems to be based on the theory that the extreme program of the strike has alienated the sympathy of a large proportion of real workmen, and also upon what they claim to be absolute knowledge that the organizations are without funds.

The government's calculations, however, have proved deplorably at variance with the true situation in the past, and the strike leaders declare the government is again hopelessly ignorant of the magnitude of the struggle confronting it.

From the nature of the appeal of the leaders to the troops it is evident that they expect to precipitate a crisis in the army.

The central committee proposes to stop all work in the empire, not only the railroads, but manufactures, the wholesale and retail stores, and all government work except waterworks. Bakers in the cities will be allowed to run unless they raise the price of bread.

The police are hunting down and arresting the strike leaders as rapidly as they can be found. Comparatively few captures have been made, however.

ANARCHY REIGNS IN MANY PROVINCES.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 20.—On account of some confusion, the general strike was proclaimed at Moscow at noon today, instead of tomorrow. The government enters on the new struggle greatly crippled.

The situation in the Baltic provinces is growing steadily worse, and in the Caucasus a renewal of the outbreak of Tartars and Armenians has produced another reign of terror.

At Sebastopol, new mutinies have occurred and 1,600 soldiers have been disbanded and are under guard. The troops at Kharkoff have revolted and the inhabitants are still administering the city's affairs.

The weather has become very cold. Deep snow covers the country as far south as Kieff. It is believed that a few days of hunger and starvation will easily drive the people to desperation and provoke uprisings in which attacks on the strikers will be made and perhaps a general pillage take place.

WORKMEN ADMINISTER AFFAIRS AT RIGA.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 20.—A consul of a continental power, who arrived here this morning from Riga, says that throughout the district extending twenty miles on the side of Riga, the land has been laid waste and all buildings belonging to landlords have been burned to the ground. The situation in Courland, the consul says, is even worse.

At Riga the garrison is too small to attempt to take the power from the hands of the workmen, who have organized a police force and are administering the affairs of the city. The city is terror-stricken, but comparatively quiet. Killings take place daily, but the workmen's militia is successfully preventing pillaging, showing no mercy to rowdies, several of whom have been hanged.

COUNT WITTE WILL RETIRE SAYS REPORT.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 20.—There was a very panic feeling on the streets today and a great rush was made to sell everything. Imperial forces fell three points, closing at 76. There were rumors on the Bourse that M. Guchkoff, conservative leader, will succeed Count Witte as premier.

A QUEER FIRE ON RAILROAD AVENUE

MAN ALIGHTING FROM CAR, HAS COAT BURNED FROM HIS BACK IN CROWDED STREET.

An amusing but rather dangerous incident occurred at the corner of Railroad avenue and Second street about 8 o'clock last evening. A Mexican alighted dexterously from a car arriving from Old Albuquerque. Shortly after he reached the ground, a couple near him were attracted by smoke which came from a great volume from his coat-sleeves and from around his neck. The native himself was very surprised at the smoke, and began to fiddle queerly about the street. Within a few minutes flames burst forth from the back of his coat, which the man frantically attempted to remove. So excited was he that he forgot how to remove his own coat, and two men had to help him. The coat was finally removed, and the native escaped more frightened than hurt. On being questioned, the man stated that he had a box of matches in his pocket, and that the friction caused by his jumping off the car probably ignited them.

## UNDER THE MISTLETOE



T. R.: "NOW GET BUSY."

## AUTO TRAVELERS RESCUED AT LAST

Found in Desperate Condition by the Searching Party.

## NO FOOD NOR GASOLINE

Searchers Attracted by Smoke. Body of Logger Also Found.

Flagstaff, Ariz., Dec. 20.—The searching party which left here yesterday afternoon to locate the lost trans-continental automobilists, Perry Megargell and David F. Fassett, found them late last night in a desperate condition, snowed in, without food or gasoline, and thirteen miles from town.

Both men had suffered from cold, but managed to save themselves from being frozen to death by the use of gasoline with which they kept a fire. It was smoke from this fire that led the searchers to the spot.

While hunting for the automobilists, the searching party found the body of a logger named Thomas Smith, who had been lost two days.

DARBY A. DAY WILL LEAVE THE CITY AND, AS MATTERS NOW STAND, TAKE UP HIS HEADQUARTERS AND RESIDENCE IN EL PASO.

Darby A. Day, the popular southwestern manager of the Mutual Life Insurance company, informed The Citizen this afternoon that his territory has been enlarged by the company ordering western Texas to his jurisdiction, which now takes in a larger area than any other agency of the company in the United States, now comprises western Texas, New Mexico and a large portion of Oklahoma. The addition carries with it an increase in salary, and, as Mr. Day stated, "If I can secure suitable office and a better distributive point, El Paso, in a very short time, will be my headquarters and home. I am going to the Pass City tonight, and on my return to this city, after my report has been sent to the home office, the matter of location will then be fully decided upon."

Mr. Day has been located in Albuquerque for the past four years, and is considered one of this city's progressive, wide-awake citizens. He has just completed, at a great cost, one of the handsomest residences in the city, and it will be a pity to leave it, especially as Mr. and Mrs. Day have only occupied their new home the past few months.

Many friends here join The Citizen in hoping that Mr. Day will not find "suitable offices" in El Paso, and therefore, will be forced to remain in Albuquerque. If this is not the case, The Citizen wishes them health, happiness and wealth in El Paso.

CONVICTS ASSISTED IN WORK OF RESCUE.

New York, Dec. 20.—A fire in the woman's quarter on Blackwell Island caused much excitement at an early hour this morning. The men convicts were turned loose and after a hard fight against the fire all the female convicts were rescued by them. The fire was confined to the department in which it originated.

## VIGIL ASKS FOR A NEW TRIAL

Chitili Land Grant Case is Decided in Favor of McIntosh.

## WAGONER CASE GOES TO JURY

Men Deliberate on Right of Policeman to Club Griego Romero.

The case of the territory against William Wagner, of the city police force, which went to trial yesterday afternoon, was given to the jury at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

Wagner was charged with assault upon one Griego Romero, who Wagner attempted to arrest near the Mountain road last May. The prosecution claimed that Wagner clubbed Romero and shot at him, with intent to kill.

The jury yesterday found Eulavio Vigil guilty of assault on the person of Abram Dimas, children and Harcock, attorneys for Vigil, immediately gave notice that they would file a motion for a new trial. It is understood that the prosecuting witness is also dissatisfied with the verdict of the jury, claiming that the assault was made with intent to kill.

COURT DECIDES IN FAVOR OF MINTOSH IN LAND GRANT CASE

William McIntosh was awarded a verdict yesterday over Eugenio Romero in the Chitili land grant case, which has off and on occupied the attention of the Second district court for a period of several years. This was a case where the title of land on the Chitili grant was in question as the result of the vague and uncertain boundaries of the grant, and more Spanish documents were produced as evidence in it than has been brought into the Second district court in many years. In his decision in the case Judge Abbott made permanent an injunction prohibiting Romero from cutting timber off the land in question.

New York Money Market.

New York, Dec. 20.—Money on call, 6 1/2 to 7 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 5 1/2 to 6 1/2 per cent. Silver, 5 1/2 to 6.

JUDGE BAKER DENIES CHARGES

THAT HE FILED PAPERS AGAINST REAPPOINTMENT OF CHIEF JUSTICE MILLS.

Special to The Citizen.  
Omaha, Neb., Dec. 20.—The statement by your Washington correspondent to the effect that Judge Baker had filed charges or notified in the same against Judge Mills, is false in every particular. There was no excuse for such a mistake. Please publish my statement. BENJ. S. BAKER.

## JUSTICE GETS FEW OF THE EVIL DOERS

Imboden and Hill the Bank Wreckers Are Found Guilty.

## ATTORNEY HUMMEL GETS PEN

For Conspiracy in the Divorce Case of Dodge-Morse and is Sentenced.

Denver, Dec. 20.—Leonard Imboden and James A. Hill, charged with wrecking the Denver Savings bank, were found guilty on four counts by the jury last night. All the counts accused them of embezzlement and conspiracy. The penalty is from one to ten years. The motion for a new trial will be argued tomorrow.

WILY LAWYER COULD NOT ESCAPE THE LAW.

New York, Dec. 20.—Abraham Hummel, the lawyer who had been on trial on the charge of conspiracy to have the divorce of Mrs. C. W. Morse from Charles F. Dodge declared void in order to nullify her marriage with Morse, was found guilty today. Justice Rogers sentenced him to one year imprisonment in the penitentiary and a fine of \$500. This is the maximum penalty.

ANOTHER INSURANCE OFFICIAL ON THE SLAB.

New York, Dec. 20.—When John Tattler, president of the Washington Life Insurance company, appeared before the Armstrong committee today, he was accompanied by Paul Cavitt, Ryan's personal counsel. A statement of legal fees for ten years was presented by the company. Tattler said that he could find no records of payments to Andrew Hamilton nor Andrew C. Fields, nor any payment for legislative purposes.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 20.—Robert Fitzsimmons and "Philadelphia Jack" O'Brien will meet in Woodward's pavilion tonight to fight for the heavyweight championship of the world. It promises to be one of the most interesting fights ever pulled off here for many years, and lovers of boxing have come here from all parts of the country to witness the great battle. The question whether Fitzsimmons can defeat the younger man is an open one, and all sportmen in

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The fight tonight is to be for 20 rounds or more. The men will get 60 per cent of the gross receipts, of which amount the winner will get 75 per cent and the loser 25 per cent. Eddie Graney will be the referee.

## WHAT CAUSED CHINA TROUBLE

Powers Are Sending Both Soldiers and Ships to Shanghai.

PORT IS IN HOT WATER

Armenians Attack Moham-medans Regardless of Race or Nationality.

BELGIUM REQUIRES JORGIS

Washington, D. C., Dec. 20.—The state department has received a telegram from Shanghai announcing the arrival there last evening of marines from the cruiser Baltimore. The department's advice of this morning was to the effect that the British were preparing for a large demonstration by both army and navy. German, Japanese and American cruisers are on the way to Shanghai. Quiet prevailed yesterday, but only because an armed force is controlling the city. The Chinese authorities were trying to effect a compromise, but demanded the removal of the British assessor, which was refused.

As understood here, the trouble arose from the action of the British assessor levying a tax upon the Chinese residents of the foreign settlement. The mixed court is a curious body, made up of Chinese magistrates who hold sittings on every week day. On two days an American official from the consulate general, sits with him in the capacity of assessor; on two days a similar German official sits, and on the remaining two days a British representative. This court has jurisdiction over all licenses and taxes payable by the Chinese in the foreign settlement of Shanghai.

For a long time the Chinese have been trying to reduce the authority of the mixed court, and it is inferred that the present trouble has arisen from the association, interdicted by the British over some Chinese merchants.

RELIGIOUS WAR MADE ON THE MUSULMANS.

Constantinople, Dec. 20.—The massacre of Mussulmans by Armenians was still in progress at Tiflis and throughout Caucasasia, December 18, according to a dispatch from Tiflis of that date. Mohammedans are being hounded down like deer, no distinction being made between Persians, Tartars, or Ottomans. About 2,000 Mussulman families of Tiflis had sought refuge in the neighboring villages. Cossacks and other troops continue to plunder the houses of Mussulmans at Batoum.

BELGIAN GOVERNMENT DEMANDS JORGIS CUSTODY.

Constantinople, Dec. 20.—The Belgian legation has demanded that Edward Jorgis be handed over to the Belgian consular authorities for trial in accordance with the treaty of 1838. The porte objects to this and trouble is anticipated. This court has jurisdiction over all licenses and taxes payable by the Chinese in the foreign settlement of Shanghai.

SEAT ON STOCK EXCHANGE BRINGS HIGH PRICE.

New York, Dec. 20.—A seat on the stock exchange was sold today for \$90,000, the highest price on record.

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## FIRE FIEND IS QUITE ACTIVE

Immense Railroad Terminal Buildings Almost Total Loss.

MANY BURNED OR MISSING

Washington Suffers From Devouring Flames Which Endanger

BUT NOT DESTROY HUMAN LIFE

New York, Dec. 20.—A fire today destroyed fully half of the immense railroad terminal buildings at the foot of West Twenty-third street on the Hudson river. The loss is estimated at \$550,000.

The ferry boats were crowded and hundreds of passengers were unloading at the terminals when a series of explosions were heard and immediately dense smoke filled the great buildings, followed quickly by the flames.

Great alarm prevailed when the ferry boats, despite the flames, kept landing passengers from New Jersey at the portions of the dock not on fire. Several employees of the railroads were severely burned and five men are reported missing since the fire is under control.

The new ferry houses of the Delaware & Lackawanna and the Western Jersey railroads were almost totally destroyed. The fire started in the paint shop in the Lackawanna building, presumably from defective electric wires.

WOMEN CARRIED DOWN LADDERS BY THE POLICE.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 20.—Washington was, early this morning, visited by two fires entailing a total loss of \$100,000. At one of them four women were carried down ladders by the police. The first fire was in the building of the J. J. Juelg Piano company. The flames were soon under control, but later they extended to the basement and the second and third floors of Muddam & Co., gas fixtures, adjoining, damaging the building and stock considerable. It was in the first named building that the women were rescued. The second fire started in the agricultural implement establishment of P. M. Haskell & Co., in the heart of the commission district and damaged several buildings.

HONEYMOON AT OR ABOUT NORTH POLE.

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 20.—Max Fleischmann, a brother of Mayor Julius Fleischmann, and Miss Shercock of this city, were married today in the presence of a large number of their friends. The couple will have one of the most peculiar and interesting wedding trips ever enjoyed by a bridal couple. Mr. Fleischmann has chartered the Norwegian vessel "Laura" and has engaged an experienced crew, that has twice sailed in Arctic waters, and accompanied by his bride, will cruise in the Arctic sea, trying to get as near the North Pole as possible.

IN MEMORY OF THE RECENTLY DEAD MAYOR.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 20.—The memorial exercises in honor of the late Mayor Collins will be held in Tremont Temple this evening. Several prominent speakers will address the meeting and there will also be music and singing.

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## WASHINGTON'S DAILY RECORD

Special to Citizen and the Usual Associated Press Report.

LATEST NEW MEXICO NEWS

Senate Recalls Panama Canal Confirmations and Refers to Committee.

PAT GARRET WAS NOT NAMED

Special to The Citizen.  
Washington, D. C., Dec. 20.  
11:57 a. m.—Owing to the absence of the chairman, Secretary J. W. Reynolds, of New Mexico, was not confirmed today. His nomination will now go over until January.  
Alfred L. Sharp, of El Paso, was today nominated by the president as collector of customs at El Paso, to succeed Pat Garrett, the present incumbent.  
The senate in executive session yesterday confirmed the following nominations:  
Surveyor general, Morgan O. Llewellyn, for New Mexico.  
Receivers of land offices: Geo. W. Delamoure, at Clayton, N. M.; Fen S. Hildreth, of Phoenix, Ariz.; Frederick Mueller, at Santa Fe, N. M.; and Henry E. Bowman, at Las Chucos, N. M.  
Registers of land offices: Milton R. Moore, at Phoenix, Ariz.; Manuel R. Otero, at Santa Fe, N. M.; Edward W. Fox, at Clayton, N. M.; Howard Leland, at Roswell, N. M.  
For justices of the supreme court of New Mexico: Frank W. Parker and John R. McPhee.  
Creighton M. Forsaker was also confirmed as United States marshal for New Mexico.

IMPORTANT BILLS ARE INTRODUCED BY DELEGATE.

Special to The Citizen.  
Washington, D. C., Dec. 20.  
2:31 p. m.—Delegate Andrews today introduced the following bills:  
To pay \$5,000 to the widow of the late Tranquilino Luna; to establish fish stations, at Trout Springs and Gallinas Springs, San Miguel county; for the relief of W. A. Walker, former postmaster of Albuquerque, under whose administration the postoffice was robbed in 1889; to increase the pensions of Solomon Coan, Geo. H. Hutchinson, Henry C. Reel, Sebastian Maxsam, Lewis Reel, and H. C. Anderson.

TO CONFIRM NOMINATIONS OF CANAL COMMISSIONERS.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 20.—In executive session in the senate today, Senator Morgan wanted the senate to request the returns of all nominations for canal commissioners which had been made since the committee on inter-oceanic canals had held no meeting to act on nominations, and that the confirmations were void. The senate acceded to the request and the nominations were referred to the canal committee.

PRESIDENT NAMES A CANAL COMMISSIONER.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 20.—President Roosevelt today appointed Joseph Bucklin Bishop as a member of the Isthmian canal commission, to fill the vacancy in that body caused by the resignation of Chief Engineer Wallace. Bishop has been secretary and historian of the commission.

MAN'S WRIST CAME IN CONTACT WITH SAW

A distressing accident happened at the plant of the American Lumber company shortly before 4 o'clock this morning, when an employee named Rosario Lucero narrowly escaped losing one of his hands in a buzz saw.

Lucero has been working with the night force at the mill. While sawing lumber this morning he permitted one of his hands to come in contact with the rapidly revolving buzz saw. The sharp teeth caught the man's wrist, cutting it badly. Lucero's hand narrowly missed being amputated. He was removed to St. Joseph's hospital where the injured member was properly dressed. Lucero resides at Los Candelaria.

FATHER AND SON FOUND NOT GUILTY

AT TRIAL BEFORE JUDGE PARKER—CHARLES BRUTON AND SON JACK, ACQUITTED.

Special to The Citizen.  
Socorro, N. M., Dec. 20.—In the case of Charles Bruton and his son Jack, accused of murder at the ranch in eastern Socorro county about a year ago, the verdict was not guilty, in Judge Parker's court today.  
This case has caused considerable comment, owing to the fact that it has never been believed by those who were conversant with the circumstances, that the Brutons had anything to do with the killing. Mr. Bruton is one of the pioneer stockmen of Socorro county, and is held in high esteem by those who know him.

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